GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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PONNANI FISHING HARBOUR
GULAM MEHMOOD BANATWALLA

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the technical examinations of the project report for Ponnani Fishing Harbour in Kerala referred to the Central Institute of Coastal Engineering for Fishery, Bangalore, has been completed and report received;

(b) if so, the details of the results of technical examination;

(c) if not, the time by which the technical examination report is likely to be expected;

(d) the main items of the project for development and me cost involved therein;

(e) whether sanction process for the long pending project would be expedited; and

(f) if so, the norms fixed in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a), (b) & (c): No, Sir. The Central Institute of Coastal Engineering for Fishery (CICEF), Bangalore have requested the Government o Kerala to furnish additional technical information relating to model studies and other details for examination.

(d): The main components of the project include breakwater, quay, auction hall and other ancillary facilities with a total estimated cost ofRs.29.70 crores.

(e) & (f): Based on the receipt of additional technical information from me State Government and techno-economic feasibility of the project, the proposal will be further considered.